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SUBJ: POSSIBLE GUYANESE MILITARY ASSISTANCE TO MPLA

1. EMBOFF, IN CONVERSATION WITH EX-GUYANA DEFENSE FORCE OFFICER WHO IS STILL IN CLOSE CONTACT WITH TOP RANKING OFFICERS OF GDF, LEARNED THAT GDF, AT REQUEST OF GOG, HAS DEVELOPED A CONTINGENCY PLAN FOR GUYANESE MILITARY PRESENCE IN THE ANGOLAN CONFLICT. SOURCE WAS INFORMED OF THE PLAN'S GENERAL DETAILS BY DESMOND ROBERTS, DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF GUYANA NATIONAL SERVICE. ROBERTS STILL RETAINS HIS RANK OF MAJOR IN THE GDF, HAS CLOSE PERSONAL RELATIONS WITH TOP RANKING GDF OFFICERS AND LIVES AT GDF OFFICER QUARTERS IN GEORGETOWN.

2. ACCORDING TO SOURCE, PLAN CALLS FOR INVOLVEMENT OF A QUOTE TOKEN UNQUOTE MEDICAL FIELD UNIT, COMPOSED OF
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NO MORE THAN TEN GDF SOLDIERS. UNIT WOULD BE

LED BY LT COLONEL CARL B MORGAN, A UK-TRAINED
OFFICER REGARDED AS APOLITICAL PROFESSIONAL SUPPLY
SPECIALIST, WHO WOULD BE BASED AT MPLA HEAD-
QUARTERS IN LUANDA. SOURCE INDICATED GOG'S JUSTIFICATION
FOR INTERVENTION WILL BE BASED ON SOUTH
AFRICA'S INVOLVEMENT ON THE SIDE OF THE UNITA-FNLA FORCES.

3. SOURCE UNDERSTANDS PLAN WILL BE IMPLEMENTED IF
AND WHEN GOG OFFICIALLY RECOGNIZES MPLA AS GOVT OF ANGOLA.
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